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Airport Entry Passes
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of people at present to whom Airport Entry Passes (AEPs) have been issued since 1st January, 2016 on all airports in the country, company/ department-wise and airport-wise;

(b) whether the Government proposes to introduce online application system by simplifying the procedure of issuing AEPs;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the whole procedure is followed again for renewal/re-issuing AEP; and

(e) if not, the procedure being followed at present for the renewal of AEPs?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION
(Dr Mahesh Sharma)

(a): A total of 104950 Airport Entry Permits (AEPs) have been issued since 1st January, 2016. The details of AEPs issued region-wise are given as under:-

Sl.No.	Region	Number of AEPs issued
1.	Delhi	41251
2.	Mumbai	9492
3.	Kolkata	13434
4.	Chennai	18300
5.	Hyderabad	22375
6.	Guwahati	20
7.	Ahmedabad	27
8.	Amritsar	51

AEPs are issued by the Regional Offices of the Bureau of Civil Aviation Security(BCAS), and the segregated details regarding issue of AEPs, airport-wise, etc. are not readily available.

(b) & (c): As of now, applications received for issue of AEPs are processed manually.

(d) & (e): After expiry of existing AEPs, fresh applications are required to be submitted after completion of due formalities and as per the procedure laid down by the BCAS, the regulatory authority for civil aviation security in the country.